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No. 1,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena January 16, 1883.

Frederick A. Buckham of the City and State of New York was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of New York, for the period of three years from this date,

Attest:
Geo. M. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Oath of Office.

I, J. Schuyler Crosby, do voluntarily swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto, that I have neither sought, nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto.

And I do further swear that to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic, and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Governor of Montana Territory on which I am about to enter. So help me God!

(Signed) Jno. Schuyler Crosby,

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 15th day of January, A. D. 1883.

(Signed) Lucius S. Wade,
Chief Justice of Montana.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana January 15, A. D. 1883.

Geo. M. McCutcheon
Secretary of Ter'

No. 2

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena, January 25, 1883,

James L. King, of the City of San Francisco, State of California, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of California, for the period of three years from this date,

attest,
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Secretary,

Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena January 30, 1883,

The following named persons were this day appointed and Commissioned Notaries Public for the period of three years from this date,

Conf'm'd Jany 30, 1883 — Joseph H. Harper, Butte City, Silver Bow County
" Jany 30, 1883, — Sample H. Orr, " " " "
" Jany 30, 1883, — George W. Little, Fort Benton, Chouteau "

attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena February 1, 1883

To the Council,

I have the honor to nominate, and with the consent of the Council, appoint and commission the following persons Notaries Public for the period of three years from date of confirmation;

Conf'd Feby. 1, 1883, 6 — Robert B. Smith, Dillon, Beaverhead County,
" Feby. 1, 1883, 7 — John Kuler, Sun River, Sweet & Clarke "

attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena, January 25, 1883,

To the President of the Council,

I have the honor to nominate, and with the consent of the Legislative Council, appoints the following named persons Notaries Public for the term of three years from the dates set opposite their names,

Name,	County,	Date,
Henry S. Clark	Silver Bow	May 4, 1881,
John H. Curtis	" "	July 25, 1881,
George F. Marsh	" "	August 1, 1881,
William O. Speer	" "	August 1, 1881,
W. J. Sappington	" "	September 5, 1881,
Charles Andrieux	" "	September 12, 1881,
Edward N. Knight, Jr,	" "	September 21, 1881,
Benjamin F. Clayton	" "	October 10, 1881,
William Wilson	" "	October 26, 1881,
Nathan C. Boatman	" "	October 26, 1881,
Louis E. Danjen	" "	November 10, 1881,
J. A. Savage	" "	December 5, 1881,
James Ross Clark	" "	January 15, 1882
John C. C. Thornton	" "	January 15, 1882
E. B. Walsburg	" "	January 15, 1882
Caleb E. Irvine	" "	January 15, 1882
Erastus A. Nichols	" "	January 15, 1882
Anthony H. Barrett	" "	January 15, 1882,
Henry C. Bodley	" "	January 15, 1882,
Jeremiah B. Wilcox	" "	January 16, 1882,
Charles S. Warren	" "	January 15, 1882,
George W. Stapleton	" "	February 1, 1882,
Patrick Talent	" "	March 28, 1882,
William L. Hogg	" "	April 10, 1882,
William H. McNitt	" "	June 11, 1882,
George C. Randolph	" "	June 24, 1882,
Lionel E. Manning	" "	July 9, 1882,
John F. Forbis	" "	July 16, 1882,
Samuel Word	" "	August 2, 1882,
Francis T. McBride	" "	September 17, 1882,
Edward E. Ellery	" "	August 18, 1882
Charles O'Donnell	" "	October 4, 1882
John Eddy	" "	December 2, 1882
Samuel M. Le Roy	Custer	January 15, 1882
Fred H. Foster	"	February 2, 1882
Edward Fawkes	"	February 1, 1882
George D. Farwell	"	March 2, 1882
George A. May	"	May 3, 1882
H. H. Mundt	"	June 3, 1882
John J. Coleman	"	August 17, 1882
William C. Stachle	"	August 1882
J. H. Williams	"	November 1882
Wallis Mathison	"	1882
A. S. [illegible]	"	

Name	County	Date.
John F. Maloney	Dawson	October 20, 1881,
Frank L. Richmond	"	December 4, 1883,
George S. Palmer	"	December 4, 1883,
H. S. Howell	Madison	June 14, 1881,
F. G. Kleinling	"	January 15, 1883,
George W. Hardisty	"	January 15, 1883,
Amos Purdum	"	January 15, 1883,
Soren B. Olds	"	January 24, 1883,
Robert Hedges	"	February 5, 1883,
Charles H. Peck	"	January 15, 1883,
David O'Brien	"	March 26, 1883,
Enos H. Shaw	Blue Lodge	May 2, 1881,
Reuben L. Davis	" "	May 25, 1881,
Fred G. Macartney	" "	November 17, 1881,
Frank D. Brown	" "	December 10, 1881,
Francis R. Bill	" "	January 15, 1883,
John G. Robinson	" "	January 15, 1883,
Walton Cameron	" "	January 15, 1883,
Henry S. Reed	" "	January 15, 1883,
John R. Quigley	" "	January 15, 1883,
John R. Eardley	" "	February 1, 1883,
John T. Athey	Meagher	July 22 1881,
Arthur Mantz	"	July 25, 1881,
Frank P. McPartlan	"	September 19, 1881,
Edward Brasby	"	January 15, 1883,
Henry Whaley	"	January 15, 1883,
Louis Rotnitt	"	January 16, 1883,
M. J. Stevenson	"	February 9, 1883,
Joseph H. Cutting	"	February 23, 1883,
Michael G. Sarkis	"	March 7, 1883,
A. E. Pound	"	March 11, 1883,
William Gaddis	"	March 20, 1883,
John Toombs	"	March 30, 1883,
N. B. Smith	"	April 10, 1883,
Oswald G. Morton	"	April 19, 1883,
Alonzo S. Reed	"	May 27, 1883,
Henry G. Sanborn	"	June 13, 1883,
William H. Buchanan	"	June 22, 1883,
John P. McSweeney	"	August 22, 1883,
Robert Robley	"	November 25, 1883,
George E. Farbell	Beaverhead	January 15, 1883,
Alvin F. Sears	"	January 15, 1883,
Alfred J. Hobbs	"	February 11, 1883,
Charles W. Turner	"	July 16, 1883,

Name	County	Date
Phil. D. McGough,	Beaverhead	November 20, 1883,
James J. Bunch,	Jefferson	November 8, 1881,
A. H. Loughlin	"	January 15, 1883,
Emil C. Erst,	"	February 14, 1883,
J. M. D. Green	"	March 7, 1883,
Ezekiel K. Mears	"	July 11, 1882,
Henry M. Hill	"	August 28, 1882,
George R. Woodward	"	December 30, 1882,
Max, Waterman	Choteau	May 10, 1881,
James F. Berthroyd	"	July 7, 1881,
John Killilay	"	July 20, 1881,
William B. Little,	"	October 10, 1881,
George M. Crane	"	January 15, 1882,
J. R. Kanouse	"	January 15, 1882,
William H. Todd	"	January 18, 1882,
Joseph M. Rabin	"	March 11, 1882,
Henry G. McIntire	"	March 14, 1882,
Cassius M. Canning	"	May 20, 1882,
Robert C. McCulloh	"	December 8, 1882,
Arthur B. Keeler	"	December 13, 1882,
Isaac N. Hazlett	"	December 27, 1882,
William M. Easterline	Gallatin	October 20, 1881,
Peter Koch	"	January 15, 1882,
Michael Hanley	"	January 15, 1882,
George D. Thomas	"	January 15, 1882,
Robert P. Vivion	"	January 15, 1882,
John W. Pendford	"	April 3, 1882,
Rine J. Malin	"	May 1, 1882,
William R. Bramble	"	July 18, 1882,
William H. Frye	"	September 6, 1882,
James Gourley	"	October 4, 1882,
William A. Imes	"	October 5, 1882,
Charles F. Buchnell	"	November 8, 1882,
Oscar Phillips	"	December 2, 1882,
J. L. Staats	"	December 5, 1882,
A. L. Russell	"	December 9, 1882,
Orlando B. Batten	Missoula	December 15, 1881,
Frank H. Woody	"	January 15, 1882,
Elbert E. Farman 2d	"	April 19, 1882,
Gustavus A. Wolf	"	July 9, 1882,
Washington J. McCormick	"	September 16, 1882,
William Wallace, Jr.	Silver Bow and Clarke	March 4, 1881,
John P. Ryan	" " "	May 13, 1881,
Cornelius Hedges	" " "	May 14, 1881,

Names	County	Date
John T. Grayson,	Sinis and Clarke,	June 8, 1881,
Frank P. Sterling	" " "	July 1, 1881,
Charles F. Nordmann	" " "	July 14, 1881,
Alfred M. Esler	" " "	September 16, 1881,
William T. McFarland	" " "	November 25, 1881,
George M. Stafford	" " "	December 2, 1881,
Nicholas Heilger	" " "	January 15, 1882,
Walter F. Chadwick,	" " "	January 15, 1882,
F. George Hebdt,	" " "	January 15, 1882
Theo. H. Kleinschmidt	" " "	January 15, 1882,
Edward W. Knight	" " "	January 15, 1882,
Richard Lockey	" " "	January 15, 1882,
Isham B. Porter	" " "	January 15, 1882,
William E. Cullen	" " "	January 15, 1882,
William Chumasero	" " "	January 16, 1882,
T. G. Woods	" " "	January 21, 1882,
Lucien F. La Croix	" " "	January 31, 1882,
Henry F. Pitts	" " "	February 7, 1882,
Israel Dalhinger	" " "	March 1, 1882,
Thomas G. Merrill	" " "	April 24, 1882,
H. B. Wilkins, Jr.	" " "	May 27, 1882,
Fenno T. Osgood	" " "	June 1, 1882,
Frank H. Baker	" " "	June 1, 1882,
W. F. Parker	" " "	June 17, 1882,
Edward R. Billespes	" " "	June 20, 1882,
Fletcher McG. Maddox	" " "	June 21, 1882,
Eugene L. Hopkins	" " "	June 21, 1882,
John H. Shober	" " "	July 18, 1882,
Warren G. Gillette	" " "	July 5, 1882,
Thomas J. Savory	" " "	July 22, 1882,
Thomas H. Carter	" " "	July 8, 1882,
Orson G. Bartholomew	" " "	July 12, 1882,
Henry W. Poole	" " "	July 31, 1882,
Hadley E. Riddle	" " "	July 31, 1882,
Harry G. Branch	" " "	September 7, 1882,
John W. Eddy	" " "	September 18, 1882,
Francis Pope	" " "	September 25, 1882,
James J. Hedges	" " "	November 9, 1882,
Joseph J. Williams	" " "	November 28, 1882,
Alex. M. Woolfolk	" " "	December 11, 1882,
Charles H. Smith	" " "	December 15, 1882,
Lewis Ballow	" " "	December 20, 1882,
Williams O. Smith	" " "	December 30, 1882,
Joseph R. Poole	" " "	January 3, 1883,

Charles W. Pemrose	Lewis and Clarke	January 8, 1883
Harrison Jordan	Jefferson	January 9, 1883,
Stephen E. Atkinson	Lewis and Clarke	January 9, 1883,
John C. Kirby	Meagher	January 13, 1883,

The above named citizens of this Territory were appointed and commissioned by my immediate predecessor, I therefore simply transmit the names for your consideration,

Attest,
Geo. F. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Geo. Schuyler
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,
Helena February 9, 1883,

To the House of Representatives
Gentlemen;

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved House Bill No. 21, entitled An Act to provide for the refunding of the bonded indebtedness of Beaverhead County,

I am very respectfully,
Your obt. Servant,
Geo. Schuyler
Governor,

Attest;
Geo. F. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department,
Helena February 10, 1883,

To the Council,
Gentlemen;

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved Council Bill No. 5, entitled "An Act to provide for the redemption of the funded debt of Lewis and Clarke county,"

Respectfully,
Geo. Schuyler
Governor

Attest,
Geo. F. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,
Helena, February 10, 1883,

Gentlemen;

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that on January 26th 1883, I approved — H. J. R. No. 3, "For employment of Committee Clerks" —

——— Also on January 30, 1883, ———
H.B. No. 2, "An Act providing for the Election of Public Administrators"
H.B. No. 3, "An Act providing for the redemption of the Territorial Bonds,
H.B. No. 18, "An Act concerning the Territorial Seal" ———
——— Also on January 31st, 1883, ———
H.B. No 17, "An Act to increase the compensation and mileage of County Commissioners," ——— Also on February 2d, 1883, ———
H.B. No. 16, "An Act concerning Missoula county and the election of officers thereof," ——— Also on February 5th, 1883, ———
H.B. No. 9, "An Act concerning the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of the District Court of Dawson County". ——— Also ———
H.B. No. 26, "An Act to exempt Postmasters from jury duty",
——— Also February 7th, 1883, ———
H.B. No. 22, "An Act fixing the punishment in case of assault and battery", ——— Also ———
H.B. No. 36, "An Act to amend Sec. 329 of the Fifth Division of the Revised Statutes,

Very Respectfully,
Governor,

Attest,
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 13, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,
Gentlemen;

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved the following bills;
H.B. No. 27, "An Act to enable the people of Missoula and Stevensville to erect school houses in said towns,"
H.B. No. 46, "An Act to provide for the printing of blanks for the use of the Governor,"

Very Respectfully,
Governor,

Attest,
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 13, 1883,
To the Council,
Gentlemen;

I have the honor to inform you that I hereby nominate, and with your consent, will appoint and commission Daniel H. Watson of Lewis and Clark County to be

Treasurer of the Territory of Montana,

Very Respectfully,

Jno. Schuyler Crosby

Governor,

Attest,

James H. Latham

Secretary,

To the

House of Representatives.

Feby 16th 1883.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved

H. B. No 32 "An act to amend the fourth division of the Revised Statutes of Montana Entitled 'Criminal Laws.'"

H.B. No 42 – An Act to provide for funding the indebtedness of Jefferson County.

Very respectfully

Jno. Schuyler Crosby

Governor.

Attest,

James H. McCutcheon

Secretary

To the Council

Feby. 16th 1883.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to inform you that I have accepted Council J.R. No. 4. in relation to the fish in the Yellowstone, and that I have this day approved.

C.B. No 1. An act to enable the people of Helena School District No 1. to erect additional school building and for other purposes.

C.B. No. 26. An act to change the name of the town of Kenfield.

Very respectfully

Jno. Schuyler Crosby

Governor.

Attest,

James H. McCutcheon

Secretary,

To the

House of Representatives;

Feby. 19th 1883.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved the following House Bills.

H.B. 44. An act Covering oaths of office.

H.B. 57 An act Covering the jurisdiction of the Justices Courts

Attest, Very respectfully

James H. Latham

Secretary

Jno. Schuyler Crosby

Governor.

Helena July 19th 1883.

To the Council.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to inform you that I hereby nominate and with your consent will appoint and commission, Cornelius Hedges of Lewis & Clarke County & Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Very respectfully

Jno. Schumpfer Gov.

Attest,
Thomas H. McGuthann
Secretary.

Helena July 19th 1883.

To the House of Representatives:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved the following House Bills,

H.B. No. 11. An act to regulate City and Village Plats.

H.B. No. 39. An act Concerning depredations taken out of this Territory.

Very respectfully

Jno. Schumpfer Gov.

Attest,
Thomas H. McGuthann
Secretary.

Helena July 20th 1883.

To the Council

Gentlemen: I have the honor to inform you that I hereby nominate and with your consent will appoint Joseph A. Workman of Lewis and Clarke County a Territorial Auditor.

Very respectfully

Jno. Schumpfer Gov.

Attest,
Thomas H. McGuthann
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 7, 1883.

Charles Edgar Mills of the City and State of New York, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of New York for the period of three years from this date,

Attest,
Thomas H. McGuthann
Secretary.

Jno. Schumpfer Gov.
Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 23, 1883.
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved
C. B, No, 31, entitled "An Act to provide for the care and maintenance of Territorial Convicts" Also
C. J. R, No. 2, entitled "A Resolution expressive of the sense of this Legislative Assembly upon the assassination of President Garfield."

Very Respectfully
Geo. Schyuler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Thos. H. Cuttiss
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 23, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills:
H. B, No, 55, entitled "An Act to prohibit the sale of fire arms and ammunition to Minors."
H. B, No, 71, entitled "An Act to enable the county of Dawson to erect a court house and jail",
H. B, No, 80, entitled "An Act to repeal an act entitled An Act to authorize the counties interested to assist in building a railroad from the head of navigation on the Missouri river to the City of Helena", approved February 11, 1875 and also to repeal "An Act to facilitate the construction of the Helena and Benton Railroad", approved February 16, 1877.

Very respectfully
Geo. Schuyler Crosby
Governor.

Attest,
Thos. H. Cuttiss
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 26, 1883,
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following Council bills and resolutions;
C. B, No. 2, entitled "An Act concerning railroad corporations"
C. B, No. 10, entitled "An Act to amend Section 488 of the Fifth Division of the Revised Statutes of Montana,
C. J. R, No 5, "Making appropriation for defraying the

representing Montana at the Amsterdam Exposition",
H. J. R. No. 6, "Making appropriation for the purpose of
collecting statistics for the Historical Society of Montana",

Very respectfully
Geo. Schuyler Corby
Governor

Attest,
Pierce J. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,
Helena February 26, 1883,

To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following House bills and resolutions;

H. B. No 7, entitled "An Act to create the County of Yellowstone, and for the election of officers thereof."

H. J. R. No 7, "Making appropriation for the Denver Exposition"

Very Respectfully,
Geo Schuyler Corby
Governor,

Attest
Pierce J. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,
Helena February 27, 1883,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following Council bills;

C. B. No. 15, entitled "An Act to amend an act to incorporate the City of Helena, approved February 22, 1881,

To the Council,

Very respectfully
Geo Schuyler Corby
Governor,

Attest,
Pierce J. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,
Helena February 27, 1883,

I have the honor to nominate the following named persons to be Notaries Public in and for the Territory of Montana for the period of three years from date of confirmation,

Richard J. Thomas	Bearerhead County,	
Sidney E. Edgerton	Choteau	"
J. O. Matthison	Custer	"
Edward B. Cowly	Custer	"
George M. Miles	Custer	"
Henry S. Back	Dawson	"

John J. Carter,	Dawson County,
George R. Fiske,	Dawson "
James B. Thornburg,	Dawson "
John R. Eardley,	Deer Lodge "
William H. Pruett,	Deer Lodge "
T. K. Clark,	Deer Lodge "
Llewellyn A. Luce,	Gallatin "
Alexander J. Elder,	Jefferson "
Charles D. Curtis,	Lewis & Clarke "
R. H. Kempf,	Lewis & Clarke "
Valentine Laubenheimer,	Lewis & Clarke "
Madison Bullard,	Lewis & Clarke "
Harry R. Conley,	Lewis & Clarke "
J. H. Jurgens,	Lewis & Clarke "
Lonsdale Labraise,	Madison "
R. H. Hawkins,	Madison "
W. H. Lott,	Madison "
Floyd B. Arnold	Meagher "
Frank E. Wright	Meagher "
Edmund Sherwood	Missoula "

To the President of the Council,

Very respectfully,
Geo. Schuyler Corbly
Governor.

Attest,
Elmer E. McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 1, 1883.

To the Hond. of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the Hond. of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills;

H.B. No. 20, "An Act concerning the publication of Summons."

H.B. No. 37, "An Act to amend Section 348 of the Fifth Division of the Revised Statutes of Montana relating to County Commissioners,"

H.B. No. 58. "An Act concerning the Storage of Gunpowder."

Very respectfully,
Geo. Schuyler Corbly
Governor.

Attest,
Elmer E. McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 1, 1883.

To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I ha

this day approved the following named Council bills;
C. B. No. 33, "An Act relating to the official survey of the town-site of Helena",
C. B. 27, "An Act to enable the county of Meagher to furnish the court house and complete the jail."

Very respectfully,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 2, 1883,

To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved
C. B. No. 7, entitled "An Act to enable the people of Glendive to erect a school house",

Very respectfully,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 3, 1883,

To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following named bills;
H. B. No. 24, "An Act to establish boards of health",
H. B. No. 48, "An Act providing for the incorporation of institutions of learning",
H. B. No. 54, "An Act to provide for the refunding of certain outstanding fifteen per cent. bonds of Missoula county, Montana, with accrued interest thereon, and for other purposes",
H. B. No. 92, "An Act to provide for the Fort Benton Fire Department",

Very respectfully,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 3, 1883,

To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills and resolutions;

H. B. No. 74, "An Act to enable the county of Choteau to erect a court house"
H. J. R. No. 10, "Authorizing employment of additional clerks."

Very respectfully

Attest,
Elmer S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena February 27, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following named bills:
H. B. No. 77, "An Act to amend Sections 389 and 390 of the Criminal Practice Act."

Very respectfully,

Attest,
Elmer S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 2, 1883,
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following named bills:
C. B. No. 13, "An Act to amend an act, entitled An Act regulating the Montana Library."
C. B. No. 35, "An Act in relation to county licenses,"
C. B. No. 38, "An Act supplemental to an act entitled An Act to enable the county of Choteau to erect a jail, approved February 22, A. D. 1881."

Very respectfully,

Attest,
Elmer S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena March 2, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills:
H. B. No. 43, "An Act to amend an act to provide for Stock Killed or injured by railroads,"
H. B. No. 47, "An Act to authorize School Trustees to issue bonds to build or provide School houses."

H.B. No. 53, "An Act to amend Section 1007 of the Fifth Division of the Revised Statutes of Montana,"
H.B. No. 56, "An Act relative to the jurisdiction of Justices' Courts,"
H.B. No. 65, "An Act to amend an act, entitled An Act to incorporate the town of Butte,"
H.B. No. 100, "An Act concerning diein corporations,"
H.B. No. 104, "An Act to repeal Section 10 of an act entitled An Act to create the County of Silver Bow, and the election of officers thereof,"

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor.

Attest,
Elmer E. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 3, 1883,
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following named bills:
C.B. No. 17, "An Act to amend an act entitled An Act to regulate persons keeping saloons or gaming houses to prohibit boys from stopping therein."
C.B. No. 20, "An Act to change the name of Johannes Gustafson to John G. Hutten."
C.B. No. 43, "An Act to incorporate the Helena Classical School".

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Elmer E. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 5, 1883,
To the Hond. of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the Hond. of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills and resolutions:
H.B. No. 60, "An Act concerning assessments upon the Stock of corporations,"
H.B. No. 81, "An Act to prevent the carrying of deadly weapons,"
H.B. No. 102, "An Act to amend an act, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the City of Virginia, approved December 30, 1864.'"
H.J.R. No. 9. "Making appropriation for the law division of the Montana Library."

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor

Attest,
Elmer E. McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 5, 1883,
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following named bills:

C. B. No. 20, "An Act in relation to Quartz Placer Mining Locations"
C. B. No. 36, "An Act in relation to the Law Division and Miscellaneous division of the Montana Library"
C. B. No. 39, "An Act to enable the citizens of Jefferson County to vote on the proposition of changing the County Seat."

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 5, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following named bills;

H. B. No. 79. "An Act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases among sheep."
H. B. No 83, "An Act to amend Section 13 of the Fifth Division of the Revised Statutes of Montana,"
H. B. No. 90, "An Act to prevent the illegal detention of cattle,"
H. B. No. 111, "An Act to provide for the establishment of free public libraries,"

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 6 1883,
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved
C. B. No. 28, "An Act in relation to County Licenses"

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 6, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills:
H.B. No. 70, "An Act to authorize County Commissioners to redeem outstanding indebtedness,"
H.B. No. 106, "An Act to punish persons for unlawfully diverting water"

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 7, 1883,
To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following bills;
C.B. No. 56, "An Act in relation to the boundary line of Silver Bow county,
C.B. No. 45, "An Act to incorporate the City of Fort Benton,"
C.B. No. 19, "An Act to incorporate the town of Bozeman,"
C.B. No. 37, "An Act to provide for the levy and collection of Street taxes in incorporated towns and cities,"
C.B. No. 46, "An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure of the Territory of Montana,"
C.B. No. 59, "An Act to change the name of William Kipp to the name of William Upham,"

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 7, 1883,
To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills;
H.B. No. 96, "An Act concerning building corporations,"
H.B. No. 72, "An Act to secure manufacturers and owners of railroad equipment and rolling-stock in making conditional sales and contracts for the lease thereof,"
H.B. No. 40, "An Act concerning the compensation of county assessors"
H.B. No. 109, "An Act to amend an act, entitled "An Act to [illegible] to

the Jus of Sheriffs for board of prisoners,"
H.B. No. 118. "An Act to provide against escape of convicts."
H.B. No. 119. "An Act concerning the inmates of public institutions."
H.J.R. No. 2, "Providing for a Constitutional Convention,"

Very respectfully,
Geo. H. Crumpton Jr.
Governor.

Attest,
Geo. H. McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 8, 1883.

To the Council,

I have the honor to inform the Council that I have this day approved the following bills;
C.B. No. 53, "An Act to authorize the Supreme Court to employ a janitor, and to prescribe his duties,"
C.B. No. 60, "An Act to amend an act exempting certain persons from jury duty, approved February 19, 1881."
C.B. No. 47, "An Act relating to the procuring of licenses by persons who keep roller skating rinks,"
C.B. No. 55, "An Act to permanently fix and determine the boundary line of Silver Bow County, dividing the line of said County from the County of Missoula, and to provide for the appointment of Commissioners thereof,"
C.B. No. 44, "An Act to provide for the payment of board of Territorial Convicts in County Jails,"
C.B. No. 3, "An Act to enable the people of School District No. 1 of Custer county to build a school house,"
C.B. No. 57, "An Act to protect game, fur-bearing animals and fish"
C.B. No. 63, "An Act to amend Section 332 of the Fifth Division of the Revised Statutes of Montana,"
C.J.R. "In reference to maps of Montana Territory"

Very respectfully
Geo. H. Crumpton Jr.
Governor.

Attest,
Geo. H. McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 8, 1883.

To the House of Representatives,

I have the honor to inform the House of Representatives that I have this day approved the following bills;
H.B. No. 82, "An Act to regulate service of process on corporations"
H.B. No. 94, "An Act providing for the service of process in criminal cases upon corporations,"

H.B. No. 73, "An Act to apportion the members of the Legislative Assembly;"
H.B. No. 52, "An Act to amend the Montana school law," Substitute for H.B. No. 112, "An Act relative to the offices of County Commissioners of Custer county,"
H.B. No. 105 "An Act to incorporate the town of Missoula",
H.B. No. 12, "An Act concerning interpreters,"
H.B. No. 34, "An Act to amend an act relative to bounty for killing certain animals,"
H.B. No. 95, "An Act prescribing the fees of probate judge,"
H.B. No. 61, "An Act regulating insurance companies,"
H.B. No. 97, "A Bill for An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure,"
H.B. No. 107, "An Act authorizing certain assessments to be made in Deer Lodge county,"
H.J.R. No. 11, "To pay clerks,"
H.J.R. No. 12, "For distribution of statutes,"

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schumacher Gov.
Governor,

Attest,
Sam'l McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,
To the Council,
Helena March 8, 1883.

I have the honor to nominate the following named persons to be Notaries Public for the period of three years from this date;

William Courtenay	Custer County,
E. N. Harwood	Custer "
Henry S. Reed	Deer Lodge "
William F. Wheeler	Lewis & Clarke "
George B. Foote	Lewis & Clarke "
Edward N. Hart	Lewis & Clarke "
Lansing S. Wells	Lewis & Clarke "
Nicholas Muffly	Madison "
James E. Kanouse	Meagher "
J. E. Mason	Meagher "
Daniel Searls	Silver Bow "

Very respectfully,
Jno. Schumacher Gov.
Governor

Attest,
Sam'l McCutcheon
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 15, 1883.

The following named persons were this day appointed Sheep Commissioners for the period of two years from this date:

Philip Thorpe	Miles	Beaverhead County
L. W. Peck	Fort Benton	Choteau "
Adolphus Myers	Miles City	Custer "
John E. Burns	Glendive	Dawson "
E. H. Irvine	Deer Lodge	Deer Lodge "
Caldwell Edwards	Red Bluff	Gallatin "
E. G. Brooke	Mitchell	Jefferson "
W. H. Cowan	Fort Shaw	Lewis & Clarke "
E. A. Maynard	Ennis	Madison "
Williams Wallace	Utica	Meagher "
T. S. Robertson	Stensville	Missoula "
Thomas C. Miles	Butte	Silver Bow "
Thomas R. Mallow	Billings	Yellowstone "

Attest:
[illegible]
Secretary.

Geo. H. Church
Governor.

(Lucius S. Wade, Oath of Office.)

Territory of Montana,
County of Lewis and Clarke, } ss.

I, Lucius S. Wade, do Solemnly Swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, Counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have neither sought, nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that I have voluntarily yielded a voluntary support to any pretended Government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further Swear that, to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. — So help me God. Amen.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 15th

day of March, A. D. 1883,

(Signed) Jno. Schumler Crosby
Governor of the Territory of Montana,

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana
Territory March 15, 1883,

[redacted]
Secretary of Montana,

(William H. DeWitt, Oath of Office)

Territory of Montana,
County of Lewis and Clarke, } ss,

I, William H. DeWitt, do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily born arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have neither sought, nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto, And I do further swear that, to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegience to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter, that of Attorney for the United States for Montana Territory ——
So help me God, ——

(Signed) William H. DeWitt,

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1883,

(Signed,) Lucius S. Wade,
Chief Justice of Montana,

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana
March 27, 1883,

[redacted]
Secretary of Montana,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena March 30, 1883,

H. Wade Wilkins, Jr. was this day appointed and commissioned Chief of Ordnance and Military Store Keeper, for the Territory of Montana, during the pleasure of the Governor,

Attest,
Thos. H. Carter
Secretary,

Thos. Schaufelberger
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena April 4, 1883,

John B. Read, of Silver Bow County, was this day appointed and commissioned Commissioner to represent the Territory of Montana at the "Denver Exposition"

Attest,
Thos. H. Carter
Secretary,

Thos. Schaufelberger
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena April 9, 1883,

James L. Southwick was this day appointed Sheep Commissioner for Dawson County, vice John S. Burns, declined,

Attest,
Thos. H. Carter
Secretary,

Thos. Schaufelberger
Governor

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena April 9, 1883,

Thomas C. Fuller was this day appointed and commissioned Adjutant General for the Territory of Montana, with the rank of Brigadier General, during the pleasure of the Governor, and he will be respected accordingly.

Attest,
Thos. H. Carter
Secretary,

Thos. Schaufelberger
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena April 10, 1883,

Ethan A. Allen, of the City and State of New York, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of New York for the period of three years from this date.

Attest,
Thos. H. Carter
Secretary,

Thos. Schaufelberger
Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena April 12, 1883,

The following named persons was this day appointed and Commissioned for the General offices specified

Horatio B. Howell, Inspector General with rank of Brigadier General,

James H. Rice, Chief of Engineers with rank of Colonel,

Charles S. Warren, Commissary of Musters, with the rank of Major, said appointments to continue during the pleasure of the Governor,

Attest,
Sam T. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno Schumpert Cooly
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena April 17, 1883,

Joseph B. Braman of the City and State of New York was this day appointed and Commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of New York, for the period of three years from this date,

Attest,
Sam T. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno Schumpert Cooly
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } May 3, 1883, Helena,

Lester S. Wilson of the County of Gallatin was this day appointed and Commissioned Quarter Master General, with the rank of Brigadier General,

Attest
Sam T. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno Schumpert Cooly
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena May 7, 1883,

Philip Maginnis of Missoula County was this day appointed and Commissioned Sheep Commissioner for Missoula County for the period of two years from this date,

Attest,
Sam T. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Jno Schumpert Cooly
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena May 15, 1883,

Charles Pettibone, of the City and State of New York, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of New York for the period of three years from this date,

Attest,

[illegible]
Secretary,

Geo. Schuyler Corbly
Governor,

Proclamation.

On the thirtieth of May in many of the States of the Union the graves of those who died that the nation might live will be solemnly decorated with flowers or the national flag that they defended. In some of the States Memorial Day is an annual holiday, sacred to patriotism.

In this Territory, where there is as yet, I am sorry to say, no Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, I earnestly hope that this Memorial Day will not be forgotten. The motto of this loyal and beneficent order is "Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty." In the spirit of these words, and recollecting that we are now one country, and that there should no longer be dissensions between those who had respectively learned at their mothers' knees their opinions, whether the State or the Nation was the supreme motherland, the doctrine of State Sovereignty or National Supremacy, respectively, for which the martyrs of two contending armies died in battle, I would now call upon all our ex-Soldiers, Federal and Confederate, to sanctify Memorial Day in this Territory by clasping hands over the common graves of American Soldiers dead, I recommend the observance of the thirtieth of May next as a fraternal Memorial Day. Our State was founded, domestic, To the suppression of hostilities no Territory had been ever over a foreign foe, alien forever, to mingle and entirely subserve the great lesson of the war for a more perfect Union,

As the grandsons of Northern and Southern men stood shoulder to shoulder a hundred years ago, under the eye of the great Virginia rebel who had no treason in his soul, George Washington, let the men of Montana, forget antagonisms, stand side by side to honor the grand e

over whom one flag now floats forever, Both armies did their best, and God decided between them, One was right, the other wrong, Both were honest, in earnest, There a perpetual union cannot be dissevered, and that the States, in their limited sphere, are Sovereign local governments, are the two immortal lessons of the conflict;

Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint Wednesday, the thirtieth day of May, instant, as Memorial Day, and I do hereby request that the people of Montana do abstain from their usual business on said day, and engage in such exercises as are appropriate,

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Territory of Montana, at Helena, the Capital, this nineteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and seventh,

Seal,

By the Governor:

Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena June 1, 1883,

It having been made to appear to me by the certificate of the Clerk of the District Courts of the Second Judicial District of Montana Territory, that one Robert Scaddingham has been indicted for the crime of murder, and that the said Robert Scaddingham has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the State of California, I have this day issued a Requisition, directed to the Governor of the State of California, for the apprehension of the said Scaddingham, and the delivery of him to Henry G. Rhodes the Agent for this Territory, to be brought to the Territory of Montana, to be tried for the crime for which he has been indicted.

Saml. McEntire
Secretary and Acting Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena June 14, 1883,

I, Silas E. Bent of the City of Washington, District of Columbia, do hereby appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the District of Columbia, for the period of three

Secretary and Acting Governor

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena, June 5, 1883.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, I have received a certificate of a petition signed by Hon. Lee Moody, Hon. Theodore Brantly, Hon. Wm. H. Hunter, Hon. Wilbur F. Sanders, Hon. Thos. C. Bach, Hon. Chas. S. Warfield and others, citizens of Deer Lodge County, Montana Territory, praying for the pardon of Joseph Cordova, convicted at the March term, 1881, of the District Court of the Second Judicial District, within and for Deer Lodge County, Montana Territory, of the crime of Grand Larceny, and sentenced to the Territorial Prison for the term of two years, which said petition was duly presented to the Governor of said Territory on the 2d day of June, A. D. 1883, and

Whereas, It appears from said petition that the said Joseph Cordova has served more than one year of his said sentence, and that the remainder of his said sentence will expire on the 2d day of June, A. D. 1884, and

Whereas, It appears from said petition that the said Joseph Cordova has conducted himself well during his confinement in the Territorial Prison, and that the petitioners believe that he is now penitent for his crime, and that he will be a law abiding citizen if restored to liberty, and

Whereas, It appears from said petition that the said Joseph Cordova has a wife and family of children residing in Deer Lodge County, Montana Territory, dependent upon him for support, and that he is now in poor health, and that his confinement in the Territorial Prison is working a hardship upon his family, and that the petitioners believe that the public good will be subserved by the pardon of the said Joseph Cordova, and that he will not again violate the laws of the Territory, and

Whereas, It appears from said petition that the said Joseph Cordova has been a resident of Deer Lodge County, Montana Territory, for the past seven years, and that he has always borne a good character for honesty and integrity, and that he has never been convicted of any crime except the one for which he is now confined in the Territorial Prison, and that he has always been a law abiding citizen, and that he has always been kind and affectionate to his family, and that he has always been industrious and provided for his family, and that he has always been a good husband and father, and that he has always been a good citizen, and that he has always been a good neighbor, and that he has always been a good friend, and that he has always been a good man, and that he has always been a good Christian, and that he has always been a good member of the community in which he lives, and that he has always been a good citizen of the United States, and that he has always been a good citizen of the Territory of Montana, and that he has always been a good citizen of the County of Deer Lodge, and that he has always been a good citizen of the City of Helena, and that he has always been a good citizen of the State of Montana

Seal,

of the United States the one hundred and Seventh,

Secretary and Acting Governor;

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 7, 1883,

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the certificate of the Clerk of the District Court of the Second Judicial District of Montana Territory, that one Robert Redding has been indicted for the crime of murder, and that the said Robert Redding has fled from justice in this Territory and is now a fugitive in the Territory of Arizona, and that I have issued a Requisition directed to the Governor of the Territory of Arizona for the apprehension of the said Robert Redding, and the delivery of him to A. C. Conley, Esq., the Agent of this Territory, to be brought to the Territory of Montana to be tried for the crime for which he has been indicted.

James E. McCutcheon
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 6, 1883,

I, James E. McCutcheon of the City of Philadelphia State of Pennsylvania, have this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of Pennsylvania, for the period of three years from this date,

James E. McCutcheon
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 11, 1883

I, the Territory of Montana do say, one hundred dollars, each, for the capture and delivery to the Warden of the United States Penitentiary at Deer Lodge, of the following named convicts who escaped from the Penitentiary on the night of July 10th inst., to wit: Thomas Hodges, James Spence, Richard Potts, Richard Morgan, and Frank R. Sailor, alias F. D. Bailey.

James Duncan

James E. McCutcheon
Secretary and Acting Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 9, 1883.

The petition of Henry H. Guthrie and Max Kleaver, praying that the commission of James J. Hedges as Notary Public be revoked for reasons in said

petition & certificate & it appearing that due notice of the hearing of said petition has been duly served upon the said James F. Hedges, and it further appearing that the said Hedges, as a Notary Public, did, on the 7th day of July, 1883, affix his official signature, as such Notary Public, to an affidavit purporting to be made by one Lee Lamond, the said Lamond not appearing before him, the said Hedges, it is hereby ordered that the commission of the said James F. Hedges be revoked from this date.

Jno. L. McCutcheon
Secretary and Acting Governor.

Territory of Montana,
County of Deer Lodge, } ss.

I, Wm. J. Galbraith, do solemnly swear that I will support, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Organic Act of the Territory of Montana, and that I will discharge the duties of my office, having that of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Montana with fidelity; that I have not paid or contributed, or promised to pay or contribute, either directly or indirectly, any money or other valuable thing to procure my appointment, except for necessary and proper expenses expressly authorized by law; that I have not knowingly violated any election law of this Territory or procured it to be done by others in my behalf; that I will not knowingly receive directly or indirectly any money or other valuable thing for the performance or non-performance of any act or duty pertaining to my office other than the compensation allowed by law,

(Signed) Wm. J. Galbraith,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of July, A. D. 1883,

(Seal) (Signed) Orren Emerson,
Probate Judge,

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana Territory July 7th, A. D. 1883,

Secretary of Montana,

Oath of Office of U. J. Galbraith.

Territory of Montana,
County of Lewis & Clark, ss.

I, U. J. Galbraith, do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have never sought, accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that I have never yielded a voluntary allegiance to any pretended government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further swear, that to the best of my knowledge and ability I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God.

(Signed) U. J. Galbraith.

Sworn to before me, and subscribed in my presence, this 20th day of July, 1883.

(Seal) (Signed) Orrin Ennesdon,
Probate Judge.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana
this 29, July 28, A.D. 1883,
Geo. Schumpfenhagen
Secretary

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 29, 1883.

I, Geo. Schumpfenhagen, Secretary of the Territory and State of Montana, do hereby appoint and commission U. J. Galbraith a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of Missouri for the period of three years from this date.

Witness, Geo. Schumpfenhagen
Secretary

Geo. Schumpfenhagen
Governor

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 23, 1883,

Robert Blankenbaker of Fort Benton, was this day appointed Sheriff Commissioner for Choteau County for the period of two years from March 15, 1883,

vice L. H. Pickerell,

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Geo. Schuyler
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 30, 1883,

By virtue of the laws of this Territory, a reward of three hundred dollars is hereby offered for the apprehension and conviction of either of the persons who, on July 29 A. D. 1883, stopped the Helena and Fort Logan Mail Coach, rifled the mail, and robbed the passengers. No reward will be paid for their arrest outside this Territory.

Attest,
Chas. S. McCutcheon
Secretary,

Geo. Schuyler
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena August 13, 1883,

David Mitchell, of the City of Denver, State of Colorado, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of Colorado for the period of three years from this date,

David Mitchell
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, }

Whereas, At the June term, A. D. 1883, of the District Court of the First Judicial District, held in Gallatin County, in said Territory, one Carl J. Adolphson was convicted of the crime of Murder in the first degree, and, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1883, was sentenced by the Judge of said Court to suffer death by hanging on the 16th day of August, 1883,

And whereas, it satisfactorily appears to me that the said Carl J. Adolphson has taken an appeal to the Supreme Court of said Territory,

And whereas, The said appeal cannot be heard at

the present term of the said Supreme Court.

Now therefore, I, Isaac D. McCutcheon, Secretary and Acting Governor of said Territory by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the United States and of this Territory, command you to refrain from executing the said Carl J. Adolphsen, as in said Sentence provided, and the execution of said Sentence is hereby suspended and prolonged until Thursday, the 7th day of February, A. D. 1884, on which day you will cause said execution of the said Carl J. Adolphsen to take place, between the hours and in the manner and form as in said Sentence directed.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of the Territory of Montana, at Helena, the Capital, this fifteenth day of August, 1883.

Seal,

Isaac D. McCutcheon
Secretary and Acting Governor.

To the Sheriff of Gallatin County.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department.

To any Sheriff or Deputy, or Constable within the Territory of Montana, Greeting:

Whereas, A requisition from the Governor of the State of Indiana has been made upon me for the surrender of one Pres. White, alias Lee Leadford, alias Lee White, alias ——— Smith, a fugitive from justice from the said State of Indiana, charged with the crime of grand larceny, as appears by a copy of the complaint and other papers filed in the office of the Governor of this Territory, and duly authenticated.

Therefore, I do command you to apprehend the said Pres. White, alias Lee Leadford, alias Lee White, alias ——— Smith, wherever he may be found in this Territory, and, upon the payment of all legal costs and charges, and deliver him to R. F. Nugent, Esquire, the Agent of the Governor of the said State of Indiana, in order that he may be conveyed to the said State of Indiana, there to be tried for the crime charged against him, And of this warrant, and your proceedings thereon, make due return to this office.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of this Territory at Helena, the Capital, this Sixteenth day of August, A. D. 1883.

Seal,

Isaac D. McCutcheon
Secretary and Acting Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department,

To any Sheriff, Constable, or Constable of any County in the Territory of Montana, Greeting:

Whereas, A requisition from the Governor of the State of Wisconsin has been made upon me for the surrender of one Fred B. Ward, a fugitive from justice from said State of Wisconsin, charged with the crime of embezzlement, as appears by a copy of the complaint and other papers filed in the office of the Governor of this Territory, and duly authenticated;

Now therefore, I do command you to apprehend the said Fred B. Ward, wherever he may be found in this Territory and, upon payment of all legal costs and charges, deliver him, the said Fred B. Ward, to John Hazels, Esquire, the Agent of the Governor of the State of Wisconsin, in order that he may be conveyed to said State, to answer the crime charged against him, And of this warrant, and your proceedings thereon, make due return to this office.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the Seal of the Territory of Montana, at Helena, the Capital, this Eighteenth day of August, A.D. 1883,

Seal,

Secretary and Acting Governor

Territory of Montana, }
Executive Office, }

I, Benj. Schuyler Crosby, Governor of the Territory of Montana, To His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Idaho,

Whereas, It appears by the affidavits and certificates hereunto annexed, which I hereby certify to be authentic and in accordance with the laws of Montana Territory, that Albert Walker stands charged with the crime of Grand Larceny, the same being a felony under the laws of this Territory;

And whereas, It appears that the said Albert Walker has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the Territory of Idaho;

Now therefore, By virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby request that the said Albert Walker be apprehended and delivered to David F.

Richards, who is hereby authorized to receive the said Albert Walker, and convey him to the Territory of Montana there to be dealt with in accordance with law,

Seal.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed this twentieth day of September, A.D. 1883,

By the Governor,

Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. }

To John Schumacher Crosby, Governor of the Territory of Montana,
To His Excellency the Governor of the State of Colorado,

Whereas, It appears by the affidavits and certificate annexed, which I hereby certify to be authentic and in accordance with the laws of Montana Territory, that Jesse Searles stands charged with the crime of embezzlement, the same being a felony under the laws of this Territory,

And whereas, It appears that the said Jesse Searles has fled from justice in this Territory and has taken refuge in the State of Colorado,

Now therefore, By virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby require that the said Jesse Searles be apprehended and delivered to George M. Orwig, Esquire, who is hereby authorized to receive the said Jesse Searles and bring him to Montana Territory, there to be dealt with in accordance with law,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Territory of Montana to be affixed this twenty-ninth day of September, A.D. 1883,

Seal.

By the Governor,

Secretary of Montana,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. }

To John Schumacher Crosby, Governor of the Territory of Montana,
To His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Utah,

Whereas, It appears by the affidavits and

and certificate hereunto annexed, which I hereby certify to be authentic, and in accordance with the laws of Montana Territory, that Joseph Scott and George Bell stand charged with the crime of escaping from the Penitentiary of this Territory, this same being a felony under the laws of this Territory, ——— And whereas, It appears that the said Joseph Scott and George Bell have fled from justice in this Territory and have taken refuge in the Territory of Utah, ——— Now therefore, By virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby request that the said Joseph Scott and George Bell be apprehended and delivered to Henry C. Bodley, Esquire, who is hereby authorized to receive the said fugitives from justice and convey them to the Territory of Montana there to be dealt with in accordance with law, ———

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Seal of the Territory of Montana to be affixed this first day of October, A.D. 1883,

Seal.

By the Governor,

Jno. Wm Catlett
Secretary of Montana Territory,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena October 4, 1883,

Barbar L. Hotchkiss, of the State of Connecticut, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana to reside in the State of Connecticut for the period of Five years from this date,

Attest
Jno. Wm Catlett
Secretary,

Jno. Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office,

John Schuyler Crosby, Governor of the Territory of Montana,

To His Excellency the Governor of the State of Minnesota,

Whereas, It appears by the transcripts and proceedings hereunto annexed, which certify to be authentic, and in accordance with the laws of Montana Territory, that David Staples and Michael Shannon stand charged

with the crime of grand larceny, the same being a felony under the laws of said Territory of Montana,

And whereas, It appears that the said David Staples and Michael Shannon have fled from justice in this Territory and have taken refuge in the State of Minnesota,

Now therefore, By virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do request that the said David Staples and Michael Shannon be apprehended and delivered to C. P. Blakely, Esq, who is hereby authorized to receive said fugitives and bring them to the Territory of Montana here to be dealt with according to law.

Seal.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Territory of Montana to be affixed, at Helena, the Capital, this twelfth day of August, A.D. 1883.

By the Governor
Geo. D. McCartney
Secretary of the Territory of Montana.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department.

John Schuyler Crosby, Governor of the Territory of Montana,
To His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Dakota,

Whereas, It appears by the affidavits and certificates hereunto annexed, which I certify to be authentic, and in accordance with the laws of the Territory of Montana, that Scotty Harnier, James McGraw, and Andrew Addams stand charged with the crime of grand larceny the same being a felony under the laws of this Territory,

And whereas, It appears that the said Scotty Harnier, James McGraw, and Andrew Addams have fled from justice in this Territory and have taken refuge in the Territory of Dakota,

Now therefore, By virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the United States in such case made and provided I do hereby request that the said fugitives be apprehended, and delivered to John M. Pomford Esq, who is hereby authorized to receive the said fugitives, and bring them to the Territory of Montana, there to be dealt with in accordance with law,

Seal

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Seal of the Territory of Montana to be affixed, this fifteenth day of October, 1883,

Attest, Geo. D. McCartney
Secretary

Gover

Territory of Montana, }
Executive Department, }

To any Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff or Constable in any County of the Territory of Montana,

Whereas, A requisition from the Governor of the State of Kansas has been made upon me for the surrender of one Harry King, alias Harry Jones, a fugitive from justice from the said State of Kansas, charged with the crime of grand larceny, as appears by a copy of the complaint and other papers filed in my office, and duly authenticated

Now therefore, I do command you to apprehend the said Harry King, alias Harry Jones, wherever he may be found in this Territory, and upon payment of all legal costs and charges, deliver him, the said Harry King, alias Harry Jones to O. J. Farleigh, Esq the Agent of the said State of Kansas, in order that he may be conveyed to said State, there to be tried for the crime charged against him, And of this warrant, and your proceedings thereon, make due return to this office,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Seal of the Territory to be affixed, at Helena, the Capital, this eighteenth day of October, A.D. 1883,

Seal

By the Governor,
Sam Dull Secretary
Secretary of Montana,

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Territory of Montana, }
Executive Department, }

The President of the United States having issued the following proclamation designating Thursday the twenty-ninth day of November, inst, to be observed throughout the Nation as a day of Thanksgiving; In compliance therewith, and for the peace, prosperity, and health with which the Almighty has blessed us, I, Jno. Schuyler Crosby, Governor of the Territory of Montana, recommend to the people of the Territory a proper observance of that day;

By the President of the United States, A Proclamation,

In furtherance of the custom of this people at the closing of each year to engage, upon a day set apart for that purpose, in a special festival of praise to the Giver of all good, I,

Chester A. Arthur, President of the United States, do hereby designate Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of November next, as a day of National Thanksgiving. The year which is drawing to an end has been replete with evidences of divine goodness. The prevalence of health, fullness of the harvests, stability of peace and order, growth of fraternal feeling, spread of intelligence and learning, continued enjoyment of civil and religious liberty, all these and countless other blessings are cause for reverent rejoicing.

I do, therefore, recommend that on the day above appointed the people rest from their accustomed labors, and, meeting in their several places of worship, express their devout gratitude to God that He hath dealt so bountifully with this nation, and pray that His grace and favor may abide with it forever

Chester A. Arthur,

By the President,
Fred'k. T. Frelinghuysen,
Secretary of State,

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Territory of Montana to be affixed, at Helena, the Capital this fifteenth day of November, A.D. 1883, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and eighth.

By the Governor,

Secretary.

Oath of Office of John S. Forbis
Secretary of Montana,

I, John S. Forbis, do solemnly swear that I have not voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have not voluntarily given aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have not sought or accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further swear that

the best of my knowledge and ability, so help me God, support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter.
So help me God,

(Signed) John S. Toohey

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of December, A.D. 1883,
(Signed) Decius S. Wade
Chief Justice of Montana,

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana Territory December 6, A.D. 1883.

John S. Toohey
Secretary of Montana,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena December 12, 1883,

William G. Workman, of the State of Michigan, was this day appointed Commissioner for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of Michigan, for the period of three years from this date,
Attest,

Jno Schuyler Crosby
Governor.

John S. Toohey
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena January 14, 1884.

A requisition having been made upon me this day by the Governor of the State of Nevada for the surrender of William Hogans, alias Ward, C. A. Kellog, Thomas Ryan, and John Doe, whose real name is unknown, charged with the crime of grand larceny, I have this day issued a warrant directed to any Sheriff, Deputy, or Constable within this Territory for the arrest of said fugitives, and their surrender to L. L. Rickard, Esq, the Agent of the State of Nevada, to be by him conveyed to the State of Nevada, there to be tried for the crime charged against them;

Attest,
John S. Tobin
Secretary,

Thos. H. Kleinschmidt
Governor,

Oath of Office of Wm. J. Galbraith
Associate Justice,

I, William J. Galbraith, do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have neither sought, nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further swear that, to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter; So help me God,

(Signed) William J. Galbraith,

Sworn and subscribed before me this 22nd day of January, A. D. 1884.

(Signed) Orren Emerson, Probate Judge,

Seal,

Filed this 28th day of January, A. D. 1884,
Montana Territory
John S. Tobin
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena February 29, 1884.

A Requisition having been made upon me by the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico for the surrender of one Thomas Burr, alias Thomas Delaney, charged with the crime of murder committed in the said Territory of New Mexico, I have this day issued a warrant directed to any Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff, or Constable, within this Territory, for the arrest of the said Thomas Burr, alias Thomas Delaney, and his surrender to ~~Governor Wallace~~ Eugene Agent of the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico, to be by him conveyed to said Territory, there to be tried for the crime charged against him,

attest

John P. Forker
Secretary.

Geo. H. Crumpton
Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena March 10, 1884.

It having been made to appear to me by a certified copy of the indictment, that Russell Briggs and Lucius S. Taylor have been indicted by the Grand Jury of Custer County, and that the said Russell Briggs and Lucius S. Taylor have fled from justice in this Territory and have taken refuge in the State of Texas, I have this day issued a requisition, directed to the Governor of the State of Texas, for the apprehension of the said Russell Briggs and Lucius S. Taylor, and their delivery to John Corby, Esq. to be by him brought to the Territory of Montana to be dealt with according to law,

attest;

John P. Forker
Secretary,

Geo. H. Crumpton
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena March 19, 1884.

Simeon W. King was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of Illinois, for the period of three years from March 2, A.D. 1884,

attest,

John P. Forker
Secretary,

Geo. H. Crumpton
Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena April 12, 1884.

It having been made to appear to me by a certified copy of the indictment, that Lucius S. Taylor has been indicted by the Grand Jury of Custer County for the crime of fraud, and that said Lucius S. Taylor, has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the State of Minnesota. I have this day issued a requisition directed to the Governor of the said State of Minnesota for the apprehension of the said Lucius S. Taylor, and his delivery to W. D. Smith, Esq. the Agent of the Territory of Montana, to be brought by him to said Territory, there to be tried for the crime charged against him.

Attest:
John S. Torbet
Secretary,

John Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena April 18, 1884.

It having been made to appear to me by a certified copy of the indictment that John Mannehan has been indicted by the Grand Jury of Custer County for the crime of robbery, and that the said John Mannehan has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the State of Minnesota, I have this day issued a requisition directed to the Governor of the State of Minnesota for the apprehension of the said John Mannehan, and his delivery to E. C. Pinska, Esq. the Agent of the Territory of Montana, to be brought by him to said Territory there to be tried for the crime charged against him.

Attest
John S. Torbet
Secretary,

John Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena May 22, 1884.

Henry A. Robinson, of the State of New York, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of New York, for the period of three years from this date.

Attest
John S. Torbet
Secretary,

John Schuyler Crosby
Governor,

Oath of Office of John Coburn,

I, John Coburn, do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily born arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have neither sought, nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further swear that, to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God,

(Signed) John Coburn,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of March, A. D. 1884,

(Signed) Lucius S. Wade,
Chief Justice of Montana,

Filed in the office of the Secretary of Montana Territory May 23, A. D. 1884,

John J. Fortune
Secretary,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department.

Whereas, At the May term of the District Court, 1884, held in and for Gallatin County, Montana Territory, John Levitt was convicted of the crime of offering for sale, without exhibiting the hide thereof to the purchaser, and sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars and costs of prosecution, and to be imprisoned in the county jail of Gallatin County until said fine and costs be paid,

And whereas, Such representations have been made by Hon. John Coburn, Associate Justice of Montana Territory,

Hon. Andrew F. Burleigh, District Atty, and H. N. Platt, showing that the said John Devitt was ignorant of the law which he had violated, and that the good of the community would be enhanced by the pardon of the said John Devitt,

Now therefore, I, John S. Torkey, by virtue of the laws of the United States and of this Territory, and of the authority vested in me as Acting Governor, hereby grant a full pardon to the said John Devitt, and remit the fine and costs imposed upon him, and restore him to all his civil rights, so far as Executive authority extends,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Territory of Montana, at Helena, the Capital, this twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1884,

Seal,

John S. Torkey
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena June 11, 1884,

It having been made to appear to me by a certified copy of the complaints and other certificates that Thompson and Jackson, whose Christian names are unknown, are charged with the crime of Grand Larceny committed in the County of Beaver Head, Montana Territory, and that said Thompson and Jackson have fled from justice in this Territory, and have taken refuge in the Territory of Idaho, I have this day issued a requisition, directed to the Governor of the Territory of Idaho, requesting the delivery of the said Thompson and Jackson to Daniel F. Reinhardt, Esq. the Agent for this Territory, to be by him brought to this Territory, there to be dealt with according to law,

John S. Torkey
Secretary & Acting Governor

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena June 14, 1884,

By virtue of the laws of this Territory, a reward of two hundred dollars is hereby offered for the apprehension and conviction of each of the persons who, on or about May 31st A. D. 1884, committed the crime of grand larceny by stealing horses in the vicinity of Beaver Creek, Jefferson County, Montana Territory, owned by John Keating and others

John S. Torkey
Secretary and Acting Governor

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena June 27, 1884.

A Requisition having been made upon me by the Governor of the State of Wisconsin for the apprehension of one Anders A. Dahlin, a fugitive from justice from the said State of Wisconsin, charged with the crime of embezzlement, as appears by copy of indictment and other certificates files in this office, and duly authenticated, I have this day issued a warrant for the apprehension of the said Anders A. Dahlin, and for his delivery to August Cabbel, Esq. the Agent of the said State of Wisconsin, to be by him conveyed to said State, there to be tried for the crime charged against him.

Thos S Forbes
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, }

Whereas, At the April term of the District Court, 1884, held in and for Custer County, Montana Territory Herbert W. Sewis was convicted of the crime of Grand Larceny and sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary at Deer Lodge City for the period of one year,

And whereas, Such representations have been made to me by the Hon. the Governor of the State of Minnesota, the entire Delegation in Congress from the State of Minnesota, and many citizens of the Territory of Montana, that the said Herbert W. Sewis may with propriety be pardoned by the Executive authority of this Territory;

Now therefore, By virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the United States and of this Territory, as Governor, I hereby grant a full pardon to the said Herbert W. Sewis, and restore him to all of his civil rights so far as executive authority extends, upon the condition that he will immediately depart from this Territory never voluntarily to return to reside,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Territory of Montana, at Helena the Capital, this twenty fifth day of June, A. D. 1884.

Seal.

Thos S Forbes
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena July 12. 1884,

Philip A. Hoyne, of the City of Chicago, State of Illinois, was this day appointed and Commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of Illinois, for the period of three years from this date,

John S Forbes
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Office, } Helena July 15, 1884,

It having been represented to me by the Sheriff and a majority of the County Commissioners of Sears and Clarke County, Montana Territory, that by reason of certain repairs to be made upon the County Jail of said County said jail will be rendered insecure for the keeping of some of the prisoners now confined therein, and a petition having been presented by said Sheriff and County Commissioners praying for the removal of such prisoners from the jail of Sears and Clarke County to the jail of Silver Bow County, I have this day issued an order directing the Sheriff of Sears and Clarke County to deliver to the Sheriff of Silver Bow County, for safe Keeping, all the prisoners and sole charge of Sears and Clarke County, until demanded by said Sheriff of Sears and Clarke County, the following named prisoners, to wit:—— John Welch, Charles Lawrence, James Hart, Thomas Murphy, James Clarke, James Edwards, George Thompson, John Taylor, Lindley Slater, John Pasco, Henry Edmondson, Neal Murphy, and John Edmondson,

John S Forbes
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena August 4, 1884,

A requisition having been made upon me by the Governor of the State of Minnesota for the apprehension and surrender of one Mathew Cabey, charged with the crime of abduction under the provisions of marriage, committed in the said State of Minnesota, as appears by a copy of the indictment and other papers filed in my office, duly authenticated, I have this day issued a warrant for the apprehension of the said Mathew Cabey and his delivery to Frank Merchant, Esq, the Agent of the said State of Minnesota, to be conveyed to said State,

there to be tried for the crime charged against him.

Attest,

Thos. Forbes
Secretary.

Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. }

Proclamation,

Whereas, The Texas cattle fever has already made its appearance in neighboring States and Territories, and this fatal disease has attacked native cattle which have grazed on or near the trail of Texas cattle from Southern ranges, and having been officially notified that Texas cattle are now en route to Montana, to be turned loose upon our ranges, thereby jeopardizing nearly twenty million dollars now invested in cattle within our borders;

Now therefore, in order to protect this great interest and the fortunes of our own as well as those of other States and Territories, I, Jno. Schuyler Crosby, do hereby declare a quarantine established against all such Texas cattle coming into the Territory of Montana by trail, and call upon all citizens to aid in the enforcement of the quarantine aforesaid,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of said Territory to be affixed, at Helena, the Capital, this fifth day of August, A. D. 1884,

Seal.

By the Governor,

Thos. Forbes
Secretary.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena, August 11. 1884.

It having been made to appear to me by a copy of the complaint and other papers filed in my office, which are in accordance with law, that one Marcus McClain stands charged with the crime of Forgery committed in the county of Custer, Territory of Montana, and that the said Marcus McClain has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the State of Pennsylvania, I have this day issued a requisition, directed to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, requesting the apprehension of the said Marcus McClain, and his delivery to the Agent of the Territory of Montana, to be by him brought to the Territory of Montana, there to be dealt with in

accordance with law,
Attest;
John J Tooker
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena August 18, 1884,

Requisition having been made upon me this by the Governor of the State of Iowa for the Surrender of one J. E. Shaver, a fugitive from justice from said State, charged with the crime of forgery, committed in said State as appears by a copy of the complaint, duly authenticated, and filed in my office, I have this day issued a warrant for the apprehension of the said J. E. Shaver, and his delivery to John A. Kinsey, Esq, the Agent of the said State, to be by him conveyed to the said State of Iowa, there to be tried for the crime charged against him,

Attest;
John J Tooker
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena August 27, 1884,

Eleazer Jackson, of the State of New York, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of New York, for the period of three years from this date,

Attest;
John J Tooker
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena September 15, 1884,

T. Henry Terry of the State of New York was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of New York, for the period of three years from this date,

Attest;
John J Tooker
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena September 30, 1884.

George Bidgood, of the City and State of New York, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana for the period of three years from this date, to reside in the State of New York,

Attest

John S Toole
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena October 1, 1884,

It having been made to appear to me by a copy of the complaints and other papers filed in my office, and which are in compliance with law, that one C. C. Hatch stands charged with the crime of embezzlement committed in the County of Silver Bow, Montana Territory, and that the said C. C. Hatch has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the State of Oregon, I have this day issued a requisition directed to the Governor of the State of Oregon, requesting the apprehension of the said C. C. Hatch, and his delivery to George M. Irvin, Esq. the Agent of the Territory of Montana, to be by him brought to this Territory, to be tried for the crime charged against him,

Attest;

John S Toole
Secretary,

Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena October 18, 1884,

A requisition having been made upon me by the Governor of the State of Kansas for the surrender of one James M. Gustin, a fugitive from justice from said State, charged with the crime of felonious assault, committed in said State, as appears by a copy of the complaint duly authenticated, and filed in my office, I have this day issued a warrant for the apprehension of the said James M. Gustin, and his delivery to E. F. Henderson, Esq. the Agent of the said State of Kansas, to be by him conveyed to said State, there to be dealt with according to law,

John S Toole
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena November 1, 1884,

Lipman Levy, of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio, was this day appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds for the Territory of Montana, to reside in the State of Ohio, for the period of three years from this date

John J Toohey
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department. } Helena November 1, 1884,

It having been satisfactorily shown to me by the representations of Isaac Trumbo, S. P. Langford, and other good citizens of Montana Territory that William Devine who was sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary at Deer Lodge for the term of one year for the crime of false imprisonment has since his release from confinement conducted himself in a manner becoming a good citizen, and that the interests of Good Government would be subserved by his restoration to citizenship, I have this day restored the said William Devine to citizenship, so far as Executive authority extends,

John J Toohey
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena November 10, 1884,

It having been satisfactorily shown to me by the representation of S. T. Hauser, Hon. W. H. Dixon, W. H. De Witt, and many other citizens of Montana Territory, that Elisha Reed, who was sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary at Deer Lodge for the term of twenty years for the crime of manslaughter may under the propriety to the subject of Executive clemency, I have this day granted a full pardon to the said Elisha Reed, and restored him to citizenship, so far as Executive authority extends, upon the condition that he will depart from the Territory within three months, never voluntarily to return.

John J Toohey
Secretary and Acting Governor.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

In conformity with the Proclamation of the President of these United States, I do appoint Thursday the twenty-seventh day of November, instant, as a day of Public Thanksgiving; and I recommend that on that day the citizens of this Territory refrain from unnecessary labor, and in their several places of Public worship express their gratitude to God for the blessings bestowed during the past year; and not forgetting the needy, let us of an abundance contribute to their necessities, So that the day may be one of Thanksgiving to them also,

Seal,

Done at Helena, the Capital of Montana Territory, this eleventh day of November, A. D. 1884, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and [illegible],

John S Porter
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Reward,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena, November 17, 1884,

By virtue of the authority conferred upon me by the laws of Montana Territory, I hereby offer a reward of One Thousand Dollars for the apprehension and return to Helena, of one Con Murphy, an escaped prisoner, under indictment

John S Porter
Secretary and Acting Governor of Montana,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena, November 25, 1884,

Frederick M. Higgins, of the City of Helena, was this day appointed and commissioned Surgeon General, on the Staff of the Governor, with the rank of Lieut. Colonel, to date from September 16, 1884,

John S Porter
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena, November 25, 1884,

It having been made to appear to me by Satisfactory evidence that William Martin, who at the recent General election was chosen to represent Gallatin Count.

next Legislative Assembly of Montana Territory, as a member of the House of Representatives, has died since said election, I have this day issued a warrant to the Sheriff of said Gallatin County calling an election in said County on Tuesday, the Sixteenth day of December, A. D. 1884, to fill said vacancy caused by death of said Williams Martin, deceased,

John S Tooker
Secretary and Acting Governor,

Territory of Montana
Executive Department } Helena December 16th 1884

It having been satisfactorily shown to me by the representation of E.J. Stackpole James B McMaster and many other Citizens of Montana Territory and Minnesota that John Sullivan who was sentenced to confinement in Penitentiary at Deer Lodge for the Term of Seven years for the Crime of Robbery may in the propriety be the subject of Executive Clemency. I have this day granted a full pardon to the said John Sullivan and restored him to Citizenship so far as Executive Authority extends upon the conditions that he will depart from the Territory of Montana within three months never voluntarily to return

John S Tooker
Secretary and Acting Governor

Territory of Montana }
Executive office. } Helena Dec 19th 1884

I John S. Tooker Acting Governor of the Territory of Montana do hereby certify that at the General election held in the Territory of Montana on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A D 1884 Joseph K. Toole was Elected a Delegate to the House of Representatives of the United States to serve during the forty ninth Congress.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Territory of Montana and caused this certificate to be countersigned by the Secretary of said Territory,

Done at my office this nineteenth day of December A. D. 1884.

Seal

John S Tooker
Acting Governor.

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Secretary

Territory of Montana
Executive Department

Helena December 31st 1884

It having been satisfactorily shown to me by the representation of Chief Justice Wade and many other citizens of Montana Territory that Jno D Crane who was sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary at Deer Lodge for the term of six years for the crime of Grand Larceny may in the prosperity be the subject of Executive Clemency I have this day Jno D Crane and restored him to citizenship so far as Executive authority extends

Seal

John E Rickards
Secretary and Acting Governor.

Territory of Montana,
Executive Department, } Helena January 3, 1885,

It having been made to appear to me by a copy of the complaint and other papers, filed in my office, and which are in compliance with the law of this Territory, that J. H. Deitz stands charged with the crime of uttering and publishing forged papers, committed in the County of Lewis and Clarke, Montana Territory, and that the said J. H. Deitz has fled from justice in this Territory, and has taken refuge in the State of California, I have this day issued a requisition directed to the Governor of the said State of California, requesting the apprehension of the said J. H. Deitz and his delivery to James Kathaway, Esq. the Agent of the Territory of Montana, to be by him brought to said Territory to be tried for the crime charged against him.

John J Toole
Governor and Act'g. Governor,